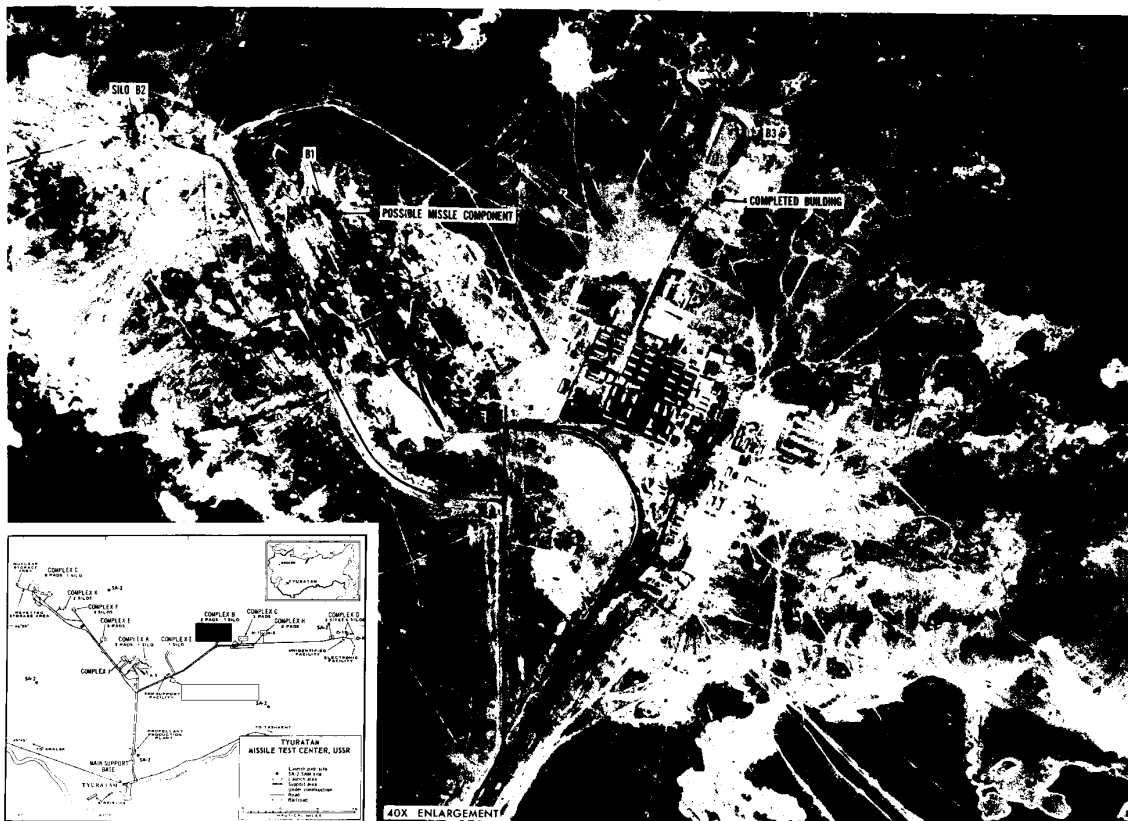


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ALIGNED OVER THE PARTIALLY BACK-FILLED EXCAVATION APPEARED TO BE A STEEL FRAMEWORK FOR A 800-1000 FT LONG BUILDING WITH A PITCHED ROOF. WORK WAS CONTINUING AT AREAS B AND F.

4. THIS MISSION REVEALS A FOURTH CLEARING, 2,200 X 200 FT IN THE OPERATIONS FACILITY. THIS CLEARING, DESIGNATED AREA D,² IS ORIENTED GENERALLY PARALLEL TO THE THIRD REPORTED HEN HOUSE-TYPE STRUCTURE AT AREA C, SO THAT THESE TWO WILL FORM A MIRROR IMAGE OF THE FIRST AND SECOND OBSERVED STRUCTURES AT A AND B. THE PROBABLE CONTROL BUILDING AT AREA A APPEARS TO BE IN FINAL STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION. THE TWO LONG HEN HOUSE-TYPE STRUCTURES ON EITHER END OF THE PROBABLE CONTROL BUILDING HAVE BEEN ROOFED.

AT AREA B, SINCE [] THREE WINGS OF THE PROBABLE CONTROL BUILDING HAVE BEEN ERECTED, WHILE THE LARGE RECTANGULAR PORTION OF THE BUILDING IS IN AN EARLY STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION. THE EXCAVATION OF THE LINEAR SITE TO THE SOUTH OF THE PROBABLE CONTROL BUILDING, OBSERVED ON [] APPEARS COMPLETE. THE LINEAR SITE TO THE NORTH OF THE BUILDING, A CLEARING ON [] HAS BEEN EXCAVATED. THERE APPEAR TO BE FOUR ROWS OF FOOTINGS IN EACH OF THE LINEAR EXCAVATIONS.

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²IBID. AREA D FORMERLY REFERRED TO AS PART OF THE SUPPORT AREA

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